

## The Christmas Season Brings the Joy of Giving

The Gilman Stock will bring the joy of selection preparatory to the giving. This season we feature strongly lines that are very suggestive of the Christmas Spirit, yet will furnish a great amount of good service and comfort. All departments are now dressed up with their best Holiday Offerings.

### GARMENT DEPARTMENT

This section of the store should be of great service to you in filling out your shopping list. Let us remind you of the

Fine lingerie waists from . . . . . 98c to \$5.00  
Silk and crepe de chine waists from . . . . . \$2.00 to \$8.50  
Silk and mercerized petticoats from . . . . . \$1.00 to \$8.75  
Silk and Crepe Kimonos from . . . . . \$1.00 to \$7.95  
Sweaters—Ladies', Misses' and Children's from . . . . . \$1.00 to \$10.00  
Serge and Silk Dresses from . . . . . \$5.95 to \$30.00  
All suits marked down to quick-closing prices  
Suits up to \$20.00 marked . . . . . \$12.50  
Suits that were \$25.00 marked . . . . . \$16.50  
Suits that were \$30.00 and up, marked . . . . . \$22.50  
Fine range of coats at special prices

### CARPET DEPARTMENT

Make the home attractive and bring joy to the whole family. No doubt you have heard some member of the household express a desire for some particular article of house furnishings. This department is showing a complete line of Rugs, all sizes and textures from . . . . . 95c to \$45.00

Lace draperies from . . . . . 50c to \$6.50  
Portieres and couch covers from . . . . . \$1.25 to \$12.50  
Cretons, Silkalines and Scrims from . . . . . 15c to 50c  
Bissell's Carpet Sweepers from . . . . . \$2.75 to \$3.95  
Vacuum Cleaners . . . . . \$5.50 to \$25.00

### LEATHER NOVELTIES MAKE VERY APPROPRIATE GIFTS

Shopping Bags, many styles and shapes . . . . . 50c to \$5.00  
Pocketbooks, envelope shape and change style . . . . . 25c to \$3.95  
Manicure sets, leather case, silk lining . . . . . \$1.00 to \$7.50  
Traveling Cases, Shirt, Tie and Collar Cases, Music Rolls, Writing Pads, Address Books, Shopping Lists, etc.

### NECKWEAR

Beautiful, dainty, artistic styles, made to gracefully finish any costume. You cannot go wrong in your selection here.

Organdie, Muslin and Voile collars . . . . . 25c to \$1.50  
Silk and Crepe de Chine collars . . . . . 50c to \$2.00  
Flannel and Broadcloth novelties . . . . . 50c to \$2.50  
Bows, Cords and Windsor Ties . . . . . 25c to 75c  
Silk Scarfs and Boudoir Caps . . . . . 25c to \$3.50

### FURS—THE GIFT REGAL

Let us have your order now, that the selection may be of the best. If your choice is not in stock we will have them here before Christmas. Muffs, Scarfs, Sets or Coats of any Fur desired at the best prices.

### GLOVES

A real Christmas there and with the freedom to exchange sizes after the holidays there is no risk to take. "Elite" Washable cape, the finest glove on the market. Soft, pliable, many shades . . . . . Price \$1.50  
Centemere's "Alberta," a very dressy glove, stitched backs, opposite colors . . . . . \$1.75 to \$2.00  
Mocha Gloves for street wear . . . . . \$1.50  
Silk, Lisle and Wool Gloves

### MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

Dainty, Fluffy undergarments, artistically designed and trimmed for the festive occasion.  
Camisoles of muslin, silk and crepe de chine with lace and ribbon decorations at . . . . . 50c to \$3.50  
Combinations, same materials, neat but not gaudy. Special Christmas styles at . . . . . \$1.00 to \$5.00  
Gowns—Muslin, silk and crepe de chine. Selected garments, fascinating styles at . . . . . \$1.00 to \$5.95

### DRESS GOODS AND SILKS

Would you buy your friends a waist or dress pattern from a fine grade of crepe de chine or silk? A skirt or waist bought from a splendid quality of woolen material? We can show you the season's popular shades in crepe de chine, Georgette crepes, charmeuse, taffetas, poplins, messalines, serges, gabardines and broadcloths of standard quality and furnish experienced clerks to assist you.

### BEDDING

Sheets and pillow slips, all sizes. Pequot quality as our standard at prices less than cotton by the yard.  
Bed Blankets, all sizes and grades, assorted colors at . . . . . \$1.00 to \$10.00  
Bath-robe Blankets, assorted designs at . . . . . \$3.25 to \$6.50  
Puffs, cotton and down filling, assorted coverings at . . . . . \$1.25 to \$7.50

### TOYS IN BASEMENT

Closing this line. All toys in stock marked at a big discount to effect a quick cleanup. This furnishes a grand chance to secure some splendid gifts for children at small cost. Come at once to secure the best values.

### OTHER CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

Handkerchiefs, Linens, Towels, Scarfs, Centers, Ivory Novelties, Aprons, Umbrellas, Ribbons, Toilet Articles, Jewelry, Books, Folders, Cards and Seals.

## GILMAN & COMPANY

### NEWPORT, VERMONT

## Newport News Page

### Important Happenings and Local Notes from the County Seat.

#### Trust Company Buys Property for Home.

An important real estate deal was consummated Saturday when the Orleans Trust company purchased of Mrs. Gould the block on the corner of Main and Coventry streets, now occupied by MacDiarmid & Company and others. This is an ideal location for a bank and with the removal of the old wooden building and the erection of a modern block Main street will be greatly improved in appearance. The lease of the present tenants does not expire for some months, therefore no immediate reconstruction will take place.

#### NEWPORT PERSONALS

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rush Monday.

Myron Buck was with his family in St. Albans Thursday.

H. A. Black went to Montpelier Monday on business.

Miss Anna Dodge of South Fairlee is visiting her brother, Ed. Dodge.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. M. Bugbee were in Montpelier Thursday and Friday with friends.

Frank Wheelock is in Hartford, Conn., visiting a daughter, Mrs. H. Reynolds.

Mrs. George F. Root is entertaining her father, T. H. Baldwin, of Allston, Mass.

Mrs. D. W. Sisco and Raymond Sisco of West Burke were in town a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Blanchard have been with friends in Brookline, Mass., for several days.

Mrs. A. L. Riches of Alberta Canada, is visiting at David Addison's and A. R. Grow's.

John Daley of the Boston office of the American Express company, was home over Sunday.

Mrs. Jeffrey of East Burke visited her daughter, Mrs. Athol Manning, a few days last week.

E. A. Spooner of the Root & Son store, spent Thanksgiving with his mother in Enosburg.

An electric Lamson cash carrier system is being installed in the Gilman Company store.

Mrs. Carl White entertained her grandmother, Mrs. M. Stevens, of Coventry last week.

Miss Daisy Beals entertained her sister, Miss Molly Beals, of Montpelier for Thanksgiving.

Mrs. D. W. Hildreth has been entertaining Mrs. F. Woodside of Fryeburg, Me., for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Wellman and daughter visited his mother, Mrs. H. B. Smith, at Orleans Friday.

O. C. Miller, Miss Inez and Pearl returned Saturday from a trip to Jackson, Me., and Burlington.

C. J. Oben returned Friday from a business trip to the Lake St. John region in the province of Quebec.

Rev. and Mrs. L. A. Edwards left Sunday night for a week's stay in Boston to hear "Billy" Sunday.

Mrs. Cora Kendall has returned from the Canadian Northwest and is visiting her brother, A. J. Bailey.

Joseph Moody, who lives on Bay View avenue, was taken to St. Johnsbury Sunday for examination and treatment.

Miss Mildred Joslyn and Miss Freda Carr arrived home Wednesday night from Fayston, where they are teaching. They returned Monday for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Gilchrist entertained as guests Sunday Col. Jas. Scott and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Stone of Eden Mills.

Miss Ada F. Lowry of St. Johnsbury has entered the employ of the Passumpsic Telephone company as stenographer and cashier.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Webster and son of Quebec were in town Friday. Mr. Webster is stationed at Quebec as inspector of U. S. customs.

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## FRANK D. FLINT

### The Store that Sells Wooltex COATS, SUITS AND SKIRTS

This year promises to be the biggest Christmas season ever known. Nearly everyone seems to be imbued with the Christmas spirit. Our unusual line of Christmas novelties may have helped that spirit somewhat.

Our stocks are not only larger than usual but we have a surplus in nearly every line because we have known that it would not be possible to get goods when they are actually wanted. A short trip to market the past week has enabled us to fill in some lines and to get some of the very latest novelties.

#### BASEMENT STORE

Our stock has proven to be entirely beyond the possibility of being shown on our first floor and we have opened a Basement store that will nearly double our space for Christmas shoppers, plenty of help will be on hand to save their time, and we hope, able to make helpful suggestions.

#### USEFUL GIFT ARTICLES

While we took extra space last week it was not enough to even mention half the practical gift articles we are showing.

#### GORDON DYE, HOLEPROOF, PHOENIX SILK HOSE

Are always acceptable gifts. We have them in men's, women's and infants'.

#### LIKELY LUGGAGE

Wardrobe trunks, steamer and regular-size trunks, handsome bags, matting, willow, genuine leather Suit Cases are always good and our stock is much more complete than ever before because we have anticipated the advance in prices and bought extra stock.

#### HAND BAGS

Any lady will be glad of a new hand bag and we can furnish any kind that you want and at any price you wish to pay—all bought before leather became such a rarity.

#### BASKETS

From a pretty Japanese basket at 15 cents to a high work basket at \$5.00. Sandwich baskets, fruit baskets, sweet grass baskets, waste baskets.

#### TOILET GOODS

Always useful and make the most acceptable gifts. Soaps, Perfumes, Toilet Waters, Powders, Creams. Week-end Packages, 25c. All inexpensive but necessary articles.

#### LADIES' NECKWEAR

Always an attractive place at this season and this year there seems to be more dainty articles that add so much to a lady's appearance and at such a small expense, than ever before. 25c, 50c, \$1.00 are the range of prices.

#### MEN'S NECKTIES

The newest styles and best shades at . . . . . 25c, 50c and \$1.00

#### CHILDREN' ANGORA SETS

Sweater, Bloomer Leggings, Toque and Mittens at \$4.50, \$5.00, \$5.95  
Infants' Fur Sleigh Robes . . . . . Priced \$3.95 to \$6.95  
Beacon Baby Bags . . . . . Priced \$1.95  
Ladies' and Children's Angora Sets . . . . . Priced \$1.00 up  
Separate Caps and Scarfs . . . . . Priced 50c up

#### DAINTY MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

There is nothing that is appreciated by any lady more than pretty undergarments and we can furnish anything that you can possibly wish for.

#### READY-TO-WEAR SUITS, COATS, SKIRTS, DRESSES, WAISTS

There is nothing that appeals so much to a woman's fancy as a stunning coat or a becoming suit. Such a gift combines the greatest beauty with the acme of usefulness and at the same time allows the purchaser to practice economy for our coats and suits are all marked to very much less than their actual values.

A handsome dress can be purchased all ready to wear from \$6.95 up to any price you wish to pay. There is an elegant stock to select from, all the very latest models.

#### FUR SETS AND SEPARATE PIECES

There is nothing that our men friends can buy for either their wives, sisters, daughters, or that the younger ones can buy for the only girl, that will be more acceptable than a set of fine furs. For the past two years all kinds of furs have been very cheap, but our visit to market last week gave perfect assurance that the furs we buy even at the present time are to cost very much more. We cannot match furs that we have in stock in some cases for the prices we have them marked to sell for.

Let us hope that the idea of shopping early will grow each year as it gives us a chance to give our customers much better attention and is less tiresome for them and for the past five years regular Christmas shopping has come a little earlier each year and for the past week it has been well under way with additional sales each day which shows we are to have the biggest Christmas business we have ever had.

**FRANK D. FLINT**  
Newport, Vermont

## STOP AND THINK

### Only 15 More Shopping Days Before Christmas

We want to give you a few timely suggestions of good useful Christmas Presents, the kind that is always appreciated.

Men's Bathrobes and Smoking Jackets, Men's and Boys' Caps, Men's and Boys' Gloves and Mittens, Men's and Boys' Shirts, both negligee and flannel; Men's Neck Scarfs, we have an elegant line, all colors and combinations, from 50 cts. to \$2.50.

#### MEN'S NECKTIES

The largest stock we have ever carried 25, 50 and 75 cts., all in Xmas boxes, while they last, beautiful colors and combinations.

Men's and Boys' Sweaters and Jerseys, Men's

Silk Hose, Men's Lisle Hose, put up 4 prs. in box, grey, black, tan and blue, \$1.00 a box; Men's Fancy Arm Bands also Hose Supporters and Sleeve Holders combinations, all prices. Men's Belts and Fobs to match, Men's Separate Belts in Xmas Boxes, Men's Bulldog and President Suspenders in Xmas Boxes, Men's Cuff Buttons, Tie Clasp and Pin to match in Xmas Box, Men's Cuff Buttons in box, 25, 50 and 75 cts. Men's Tie Clasps 15 and 25 cts.

**Christmas**  
Look your merriest in Styleplus Clothes \$17

Men's Suits and Overcoats, largest stock we ever carried, all prices  
Boys' Suits and Overcoats

Boys' Toques and Aviation Caps, Men's and Boys' Underwear, Men's and Boys' Shoes, Overshoes, Felt Shoes and all kinds of footwear.

Boys' and Girls' Bathrobes, beautiful garments, price \$2.75.

Girls' Toque and Scarf Sets, all colors. Men's and Boys' Pajamas and Night Robes, Men's Fur Coats, Ladies' and Gents' Fur Caps.

If there is anything in a good useful article for Xmas, you can find it here at right prices

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#### OUR CHRISTMAS GOODS ARE READY

And already the foresighted ones are picking them off. China ware, Glass ware, Nickel ware, Aluminum Goods, Toys, Dolls, Books, and a thousand other things selected especially for the

#### CHRISTMAS TRADE

They told us that CHRISTMAS GOODS were scarce, and so they were but we found them and they are here.

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#### 10 Cent COUNTER IS A WINNER

You will wonder how we did it. Same is true of 15 and 25 cent lines. It is just a nice trip to our place and you will be repaid before you have made half your selections.

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